

Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
Criteria for Local Determinations
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The criteria used for issuing determinations on implementation of Part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) for each System Point of Entry (SPOE) and Department of Mental Health (DMH) Regional Center in Missouri are described in Table A. The determinations are based on 2005-2006 data.

The SPOE/DMH determination was based upon the average of its scores in the 8 categories listed in Table A in accordance with the ranges shown in Table B.

Table A: Criteria Used to Make Determinations

Audit Findings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - No Findings • 3 - Findings – reconciled timely (6months) • 2 - Findings – reconciled untimely (+ 6 months) • 1 - Findings - unreconciled 	45-Day Time-line (SPP Indicator 7) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - In Compliance, • 3 - (a) Out of compliance, but corrected within 12 months • 2 - (a) Out of compliance, (b) not corrected within 12 months (c) non-timely correction • 1 - Out of compliance – no correction
Timely Correction of Non-compliance (SPP Indicator 9) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - In Compliance, • 3 - (a) Out of compliance, but corrected within 12 months • 2 - (a) Out of compliance, (b) not corrected within 12 months (c) non-timely correction • 1 - Out of compliance – no correction 	Transition Steps and Services (SPP Indicator 8a) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - In Compliance, • 3 - (a) Out of compliance, but corrected within 12 months • 2 - (a) Out of compliance, (b) not corrected within 12 months (c) non-timely correction • 1 - Out of compliance – no correction
Timely EI Services (SPP Indicator 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - In Compliance, • 3 - (a) Out of compliance, but corrected within 12 months • 2 - (a) Out of compliance, (b) not corrected within 12 months (c) non-timely correction • 1 - Out of compliance – no correction 	LEA Notification w/Consent (SPP Indicator 8b) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - In Compliance, • 3 - (a) Out of compliance, but corrected within 12 months • 2 - (a) Out of compliance, (b) not corrected within 12 months (c) non-timely correction • 1 - Out of compliance – no correction
Timely and Accurate Data (Including self-correction of data) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - Data was submitted timely and accurately • 3 - Data was submitted accurately but not timely • 2 - Data was submitted timely but not accurately • 1 - Data was not submitted timely or accurately 	Transition Meeting Held by 2.5 Years (SPP Indicator 8c) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 - In Compliance, • 3 - (a) Out of compliance, but corrected within 12 months • 2 - (a) Out of compliance, (b) not corrected within 12 months (c) non-timely correction • 1 - Out of compliance – no correction

Table B: Range of Scores Used to Make Determinations

Needs Substantial Intervention	1 – 1.99
Needs Intervention	2 – 2.749
Needs Assistance	2.75 – 3.249
Meets Requirements	Any average greater than 3.25